REPRIMAND

Mark Scheuler 8528 Sunbeam Lane Lincoln, NE 68505 Certificate No. Case No. 01051

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Mark Scheuler, a Nebraska school certificate holder, you are hereby reprimanded for violating the standards of professional conduct and ethics. It has been reported that on December 6, 2001, you referred to a student's parent as a "nigger" while engaging in conversation with two other teachers. Your conduct is a violation of Title 92, Nebraska Administrative Code, Chapter 27, Section 004.02B (effective date: December 25, 1989) which states: "the educator: Shall not discriminate on the basis of race, color, creed, sex, marital status, age, national origin, ethnic background, or handicapping condition"; Section 004.03D (same effective date), which states: "the educator: Shall conduct professional educational activities in accordance with sound educational practices that are in the best interest of the student"; and Section 005.09E (same effective date) which states: "Educators shall possess effective human and interpersonal relations skills and therefore: Shall not show disrespect for or lack of acceptance of others."

Any further unprofessional or unethical conduct may result in the suspension or revocation of your Nebraska school certificate.

Dated this ______ day of April, 2002.

Douglas D. Christensen, Ph.D. Commissioner of Education

This reprimand is public and is subject to publication. A copy of this reprimand will be maintained by the Department of Education. Additionally, a notation will appear on your official certificate record that you received a reprimand on this date.